the said parties as represented by the said judgment, to be so arranged that the amount of the same may become a loan to such of said parties as he may deem proper, at the rate of ten per centum interest per annum, payable annually, the principal sum to be paid in five years from the date of such loan, and to be secured in all respects as now required by law.

SEC. 2. This act to be in force from and after its publication in the Daily

Iowa State Register and the Daily Iowa State Journal.

This bill having remained with the Governor three days, Sunday excepted, the General Assembly being in session, has become a law this 2d day of April, 1860.

ELIJAH SELLS, Secretary of State.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Daily Iowa State Journal April 3, 1860, and in the Iowa State Register April 11, 1860.

ELIJAH SELLS, Secretary of State.

[S. F. 170.]

# CHAPTER 60.

[Chap. 91.]

#### STORY COUNTY BONDS.

AN ACT to legalize certain bonds heretofore issued by the County of Story.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa,

Section 1. Bonds issued for the benefit of the state agr. college & farm declared valid, binding and legal. That the acts of the county judge of the county of Story, in issuing certain bonds of that county, for the use and benefit of the state agricultural college and farm, be and the same are hereby declared valid, binding and legal, and said bonds are hereby legalized and declared to be valid and binding on said county, and it is hereby made the duty of the county judge, or other proper authorities of said county, to levy and cause to be collected sufficient taxes to pay the interest on said bonds and the principal thereof according to the tenor and effect thereof.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force [68] from and after its

publication in the Iowa State Register and State Journal.

This bill having remained with the Governor three days, Sundays excepted, the General Assembly being in session, has become a law, this 2d day of April, 1860.

ELIJAH SELLS,

Secretary of State.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Journal April 21st, 1860, and in the Iowa State Register April 25.

ELIJAH SELLS, Secretary of State.

[S. F. 101.]

### CHAPTER 61.

[Chap. 92.]

### ORIGINAL NOTICES.

AN ACT rendering valid the service of original notices in certain actions.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa,

Section 1. Legalizing certain notices. That in all actions pending in any of the courts of this state, or which may have been determined in said courts, in which the original notice may have been served by publication in accordance with the provisions of chapter 191, as published with the acts of the 6th general assembly, the service of said notice as aforesaid, shall be deemed and taken to be good and valid to all intents and purposes to the same extent as though said chapter 191 had been duly enacted by the general assembly of this state.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register and Iowa State Journal, newspapers published at Des Moines.

This bill having remained with the Governor three days, Sundays excepted, the General Assembly being in session, has become a law this 2d day of April, 1860. ELIJAH SELLS,

Secretary of State.

[69] [S. F. 194.]

CHAPTER 62.

[Chap. 93.]

#### MILL DAMS.

AN ACT authorizing the construction of mill dams on the Nishnabotany River. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa,

SECTION 1. May dam Nishna Botany river & erect mill. That any person owning lands on both sides of the Nishnabotany river where the same has been meandered, and being desirous of building a mill or erecting other machinery to be propelled by water-power on said stream, and of erecting a dam thereon, is hereby authorized to build a mill or erect a dam or other machinery on said river.

SEC. 2. Time for completing. Provided that any person desirous of building a mill or other machinery, or to erect a dam on said river, shall not be required to complete the same in three years, as required by the acts of the

seventh general assembly.

SEC. 3. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

This bill having remained with the Governor three days, Sunday excepted, the General Assembly being in Session, has become a law this 2d day of April, 1860.

ELIJAH SELLS,

Secretary of State.

[S. F. 198.]

## CHAPTER 63.

[Chap. 94.]

## DES MOINES RIVER LANDS.

AN ACT making provisions for the settlement of all liabilities of the State growing out of the sale of certain lands of the Des Moines River Improvement Grant as School lands.

Whereas, Certain contracts have been entered into between school fund commissioners, acting under the directions of "the superintendent of public instruction," an officer of this state, and citizens of the state, for the sale and purchase of a part of the school lands of the state, known as the 500,000 acre grant, and

[70] Whereas, The state of Iowa has, by a settlement with the Des Moines Navigation and Rail Road Company, conveyed said lands in whole or in

part to said company; therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa,

Section 1. Payment to be made to purchasers of lands sold as school lands, which were afterwards deeded by the state to the Des Moines N. and R. R. Co.—proof to be made to the gov.—the gov. deliv'r statement to claimant. That upon the presentation (or proof of in case of loss) of any contract for the sale of any of said lands situated in Webster or Hamilton county, executed by John Polman, late school fund commissioner of Webster county, or of any certificate of final payment from said school fund commissioner, or of